DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of peoples under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in some parts of Bangalore, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of "Chapperoga and Doddaroga" in parts of Channapatna and Anekal Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nat-ragi and sugar-cane in Bowringpet Taluk and paddy in Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane and togari are being harvested in parts of the District.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane and cholum and potatoes are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospect of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains—Stationary. Labour is available for cooly classes.

11. Cattle—Healthy. Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in some parts of Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Maddagiri Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Except for the prevalence of black quarter in some parts of Tumkur and Maddagiri Taluks, cattle in other parts of the District are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are reported to be available and adequate at present.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Hunsur and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy, tobacco, sugar-cane, mulberry, kadale, til, togari, samé, navane, chillies, groundnut, black and green grams are reported to be fair.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Kadale in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

It is reported that rain is wanted in parts of Malvalli Taluk.

11. (1) Water and fodder are available.

(2) Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Doddaroga in Kangaki, Basavadi, Nasanepura of Chamarajnagar Taluk and in Chinkurli of Krishnarajpete Taluk nd Chapperoga in Sadagonahalli of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, has been written to take necessary reventive measures.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane is being transplanted in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk.

Standing crops.—It is reported that sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur, Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks, and the Alur Sub-Taluk and kadale in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and kar paddy in the Manjarabad and Arsikere Taluks are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—It is reported that kadle and sugar-cane in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; Ragi and paddy in the Belur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are generally available. It is reported by the Amildar Arsikere Taluk, that a loan of Rs. 1,000 has been granted for the purchase of fodder in the villages of Kanakatte, Kittanakere and Bommasamudra where scarcity of fodder is felt. It is also reported that the villagers have been allowed to cut and use date leaves as fodder.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Taluks of Channagiri, Sorab, Nagar and the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane is being planted in the Taluks of Shikarpur, Tirthahalli and Sub-Taluk of Kumsi.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi and cotton in the Taluks of Channagiri and Honnali are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being milled in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi. Cotton is being harvested in the Taluks of Channagiri and Honnal

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Fodder and water are reported to be available. Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in Rajagondanahalli of Channagiri Taluk and foot and mouth disease in Benkikere village of the same Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in Kadur Taluk.

Crops sown.—Kode paddy is being sown in Mudgere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in Chikmagalur and Kadur, Tarikere and Koppa Taluks: coffee in Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, jolum in Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, bengal gram, and onions in Chikmagalur Taluk are reported to be thriving well.

Crops harvested.—Coffee in Chikmagalur and Koppa Taluks, sugar-cane in Chikmagalur, Kadur, Koppa Taluks, and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk, paddy and bengal gram in Chikmagalur Taluk, wheat in Kadur Taluk and horse gram in Tarikere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food grains are available, but their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District, but Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in Sunklapura, Hulihalli and Anthargatta villages in Kadur Taluk and Ajjampur, Bettadahalli, Kottigehalli and Kudlur in Tarikere Taluk. Metricut roga is prevailing in Sarasipura, Koppa Taluk, and in Gonibede, Mudgere Taluk.

Water and fodder are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and thrashing operations are still in progress in this District.

Standing crops.—Cotton, paddy, kadale, castor, tobacco, bilijola, sugar-cane, wheat, ground-nut and chillies are reported to be generally in a fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Chellakere—Paddy, cotton and castor, 8 annas; Hiriyur—Kadle, bilijola and cotton, 4 to 6 annas; Davangere—Cotton, kadale and sugar-cane, 8 annas; Molakalmuru—Cotton, castor and wheat, 8 annas; Jagalur—Bilijola, and kadale, 6 annas; Hosdurga—Castor and bilijola; Harihar—Cotton, 5 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of the foodstuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes generally find labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for foot and mouth disease at Devasamudra and Rinderpest at Hirekerehalli in Molakalmuru Taluk. It is reported that the cattle in Namalihalli village, Jagalur Taluk are dying and that the nature of the disease is not known and the Veterinary Inspector attached to the Taluk has been addressed to take necessary steps in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

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Revenue Commissioner.